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Attached hereto for filing are the following papers:

**REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION AFTER FINAL
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JAPANESE OFFICE ACTION
CITED REFERENCES (4)**

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